Gainesville Daily Sun

VOL. XXIV, NO. 258 GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1907 TEN CENTS A WEEK

THE RECALL OF AOKI

Diplomatic Sensation of the Day at Washington.

MUCH SPECULATION ON SAME

It Is Said the Ambassador Was Withdrawn in Spite of an Earnest Wish of President Roosevelt that He Remain.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington, says:

The recall of Viscount Aoki, the Japanese ambassador, is the diplomatic sensation of the day in Washington, D. C.

Its significance was heightened on Tuesday by information allowed to leak out that he had been withdrawn in spite of an earnest intimation made to his government by President Roosevelt that he would be glad to have the ambassador remain accredited to the United States.

While the authorities are not a little puzzled and a great deal concerned over the strange course of the Japanese government, they claim it should have no doubt as to the friendly purposes of the United States.

Viscount Aoki in no way countenances the stories that his orders to return home are dictated by a desire to emphasize disapproval of the friendly policy he has observed. On the other hand, he desires that the cabinet in power in Tokio and the great mass of people recognize the debt they owe to America, and want to restore the old friendly relations which existed while the Russo-Japanese war was in progress.

But in face of the ambassador's open face were facts which demonstrate that his government would prefer the adoption of a more aggressive attitude on the part of its representative in Washington.

NEW GOLD PIECES.

$2,300,000 of Them Shipped to Sub-Treasuries from the Mint.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 5—The first installment of new gold twenty-dollar pieces has been shipped from the United States mint in this city to various sub-treasuries about the country.

There were 115,000 of them, their monetary value being $2,300,000.

On one side of the coin is an eagle flying, with outstretched wings, while on the other side is a figure of "Liberty." The coins were made concave the figures being in high relief, nine strokes of a hydraulic press being required to make them. Hereafter only one stroke will be used and thus the coins just circulated will be different from those to be put in circulation later.

PROHIS MAY WIN.

Effort to Move New York State Into the "Dry" Column.

New York, Dec. 5.—That the prohibitionists are making an effort to move New York state into the "dry" column and that unless action is at once taken they will have the fight more than half won, was the statement made before the annual meeting of the Hotel Men's association of the state.

A good portion of the meeting was devoted to a discussion of the situation, some urging that the association take active steps to begin a campaign in opposition to the prohibitionists.

Bride's Finery Lay Near Dead Groom.

Patterson, La., Dec. 5.—With a complete outfit for a wedding, including the bride's finery, lying nearby, the murdered body of J. Giovante, a young Italian was found [illegible] on Tuesday. Twenty-five [illegible] wounds, the police think, point to a [illegible] rival as the slayer. Giovante was returning from New Orleans where he had gone to buy the wedding outfit.

Body Is Found in Creek.

Lawton, Okla., Dec. 5.—The body of D. R. Dankin, cashier of the defunct Merchants and Planters' bank, who mysteriously disappeared a month ago, was found in Cache creek, near Lawton late Tuesday.

BOLDEST BURGLARY ON RECORD.

Robbers Get $5,000 Worth of Jewelry In Broad Daylight.

New York, Dec. 5.—A new development in burglary was displayed on Tuesday when Abraham Bobier's jewelry store in West 116th street, was robbed of jewelry said to be valued at $5,000, while Bobier was in the store.

Bobier had dressed his window by piling up a number of boxes and covering them with black cloth. On this cloth jewelry was displayed. Several times Bobier thought he heard rats in the floor, but paid little attention to the scratching noise. While he was waiting on customers in the rear of the store, a friend came in to ask why Bobier had removed the jewelry from the window. The jeweler rushed to the window. Almost every article of value had disappeared.

Investigation showed robbers had entered the cellar under the store, cut a hole two feet square in the floor into the boxes, climbed up into one of the boxes by means of a ladder, cut a small hole through the top of the box, slit the black cloth and picked the pieces of jewelry out of the window without trouble.

Two well dressed women had been in the store a short time before and had kept Bobier engaged in the rear of the room for some time, although they made no purchases.

The janitress of the building remembered seeing two strange men leave the building by the stairway entrance a few minutes before the women departed.

JEWELS STOLEN ON CAR.

Lady of Paris, France, Is Robbed of $10,000 Worth of Jewelry.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 5—On a Pullman car, which left Jersey City at 10 o'clock Monday night on a train for this city over the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad, a connection of the Pennsylvania, $10,000 worth of jewelry is said to have been stolen from a handbag belonging to the wife of Dr. Edward Fribourg, of Paris, who, with his wife, was on his way to North Carolina. The robbery was discovered when the passengers awoke Tuesday morning while the train was between Fredericksburg and Richmond. The bag had been opened and relocked after the abstraction of the jewelry.

Dr. Fribourg is a chemical expert in the service of the government, and was in company with Malcolm MacKenzie, of New York, who had engaged him to make certain turpentine analyses. The servants on the Pullman are under detention, and the passengers were searched, but no clew has been found.

Madame Fribourg displayed her jewelry the other night while dining at a hotel in New York, and the theory of the police here is the couple were followed by New York crooks, who, after committing the robbery, left the train.

To Join Pacific Fleet.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 5.—The battleship Kansas sailed from the League Island navy yard Wednesday for the Hampton Roads to join the fleet which is to sail for the Pacific. The Kearsarge is scheduled to sail at 8 o'clock Thursday morning and will be followed a few hours later by the Georgia. The battleship Maine will sail Friday. The cruiser Brooklyn, towing the monitor Miantonomah arrived at the League Island navy yard from Norfolk.

Shops at Waycross Near Completion.

Savannah, Ga., Dec. 5.—President Emerson, of the Atlantic Coast Line railway, was in Savannah Tuesday. He says the Waycross shops are almost ready to begin operations, and that they will be running full blast at an early date. Mr. Emerson was not very enthusiastic nor optimistic regarding business. He said the shutting down of lumber mills has hurt the business of his system considerably.

Cleared of Robbing Mails.

Columbus, Ga., Dec. 5.—The federal grand jury has investigated the charge that was made against W. E. Chitwood and failed to find a bill. He was charged with having robbed the United States mail. Several cases of minor importance have been disposed of by the court. Judge W. T. Newman presiding.

4 KILLED; 20 INJURED

Crash on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

WAS A REAR-END COLLISION

Trains Which Were Wrecked Were Local Passenger Trains Nos. 142 and 144—Accident Occurred Near Elkridge, Md.

Baltimore, Md. Dec. 5.—Four persons were killed and twenty injured in a rear end collision on Wednesday morning on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad near the city of Elkridge, Md.

The wrecked trains were local passenger trains Nos. 142 and 144 from Washington for Baltimore.

Four persons in all were killed. All of the killed were negro hands and were riding in the car reserved for negro people.

All of the injured were brought to Baltimore. Several of them are said to be seriously hurt.

The first train was 25 minutes late, having been delayed by a broken rail at Jessups, where it had sidetracked to let an express pass.

While standing at Hanover station taking on passengers, the second train came around the curve at that point at a high rate of speed and crashed into the rear car of the stationary train, smashing this car and driving it into the next coach ahead.

The last car of No. 142 was divided into a smoking compartment and a section for negroes. It was in this car that the deaths occurred.

The movement of trains on this branch of the Baltimore and Ohio system is controlled by an automatic electric signal. When a train enters a block, electricity throws a red target.

TO FACE FORGERY CHARGE.

Just Returned from European Tour, Man Is Taken into Custody.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—J. W. Walenski, who last year announced he intended paying off the indebtedness of Benton Harbor, Mich., to rid himself of a part of the $1,000,000 he had amassed through the discovery of a gold mine at Goldfield, Nev., was brought back to Chicago Tuesday night to face a charge of forgery.

Walenski, who for five years was employed as cashier by the Butterick Publishing company under an alias of J. W. West, is said to have obtained $10,000 through forging the name of A. E. Nicholson, western manager of the concern.

He was arrested in New York ten days ago as he stepped from a steamer, after a trip through Europe.

ON DEATH'S THRESHOLD.

Mother of Secretary Taft Is Not Expected to Live.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 5.—The condition of Mrs. Louisa M. Taft has become so serious that her son, Horace, was telegraphed for and arrived Tuesday night from Watertown. A conference was at once held as to the advisability of notifying Secretary Taft so that he may hurry home.

His mother is unconscious and is growing weaker daily, and the attending physician says her death can be expected at any time.

Horace Taft announced, after the long conference, that no message would be sent to Secretary Taft. The family consider his absence a matter of state more important than his presence at his mother's bedside.

Root Sends Invitations.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Georgia's Root has sent out invitations to his fellow members of the cabinet and justices of the supreme court to dinner at the New Willard next Monday evening to meet the delegates to the Central American conference at present in session in this city.

More Gold Coming.

Southampton, Dec. 5.—The White Star Line steamer Oceanic, which sailed hence Wednesday for New York carried 275,000 pounds in gold.

$50,000,000 FOR WATERWAYS.

National Rivers and Harbors Congress Convenes at Washington.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Delegates arrived in Washington Tuesday to attend the national rivers and harbors congress, which convened Wednesday for a three days' session. Upwards of 3,000 delegates are present, representing every section of the country. The movement is national in scope, and has for its object the securing from congress of larger appropriations for the improvement of the inland waterways of the United States.

"Not less than $50,000,000 a year for waterways," is the slogan of the delegates.

Ambassador Von Sternburg of Germany and Jusserand of France are on the program for speeches and will discuss the advance made by their respective countries in waterway improvement and the part it has played in the upbuilding of the commerce of Germany and France.

Railroad interests are represented by James J. Hill, of the Great Northern railroad, and W. W. Finley, of the Southern railway; Governors Hoke Smith of Georgia, Cummins of Iowa, Johnson of Minnesota, Deneen of Illinois, Folk of Missouri, Warfield of Maryland and Dawson of West Virginia, are on the list of speakers.

RECEIVED BY DIAZ.

Delegates to the Third International Sanitary Conference.

Mexico City, Dec. 5—President Diaz received the delegates to the third international sanitary conference at the national palace Wednesday. He congratulated them upon the work of the conference which he said had done a trans-continental good in all of the American countries.

In the regular session, the report of Dr. Juan Guiteras, of Cuba, was the most important business taken up.

Dr. Guiteras offered a resolution that the sanitary measures as passed by the Washington conference of 1905 be presented to the European powers at the next sanitary conference which may be held with the recommendation that the conference adopt the Washington measures so as to make uniform regulations of all countries as regards the handling of yellow fever. The Paris conference of 1903 left this undetermined.

FARMERS' PLAN QUITE POPULAR

Birmingham Merchants and Banks To Accept Their "Scrip."

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 5.—A practical method of relieving the financial stringency existing in Birmingham, Jefferson county and this section, has been devised by local officials of the Farmers' union, and will be put into practice at once.

The plan is for the farmers who desire to borrow money on their cotton without relinquishing the title to it to place the staple in the local warehouse as collateral, on which the warehouse will issue notes of hand or what is popularly termed "scrip" to the extent of 7 cents per pound.

Practically all of the merchants doing business in the city have agreed to take it as payment for notes held against merchants.

The new plan has the entire approval of officials of the Farmers' union of Alabama.

Warning to Policyholders.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 5.—The policyholders' committee of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company of New York, of which J. W. Hiams, speaker of the Louisiana house of representatives, is chairman, Wednesday issued an address to policyholders throughout the United States warning them not to give their proxies to the officers of the company for use at the special meeting of policyholders to be held in New York Dec. 10.

Lumber Plant Suspends.

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 5.—The big lumber plant of the Escambia Land and Manufacturing company, known as the "Wright Mill," suspended operations Tuesday, throwing several hundred men out of work. It is also announced that extensive logging operations of the company in Alabama and Florida have been stopped. Lack of demand and low prices of lumber are given as reasons for their suspension.

WOMAN THREW BOMB

Attempt Made on Life of Governor General of Moscow.

ESCAPED BY NARROW MARGIN

Woman Who Threw the Bomb Was So Mutilated by the Exploding Bomb She Is In a Hospital Dying—Coachman Seriously Injured.

Moscow, Dec. 5.—An [illegible] attempt was made [illegible] upon the life of Lieut. [illegible] Gerschelmann, governor [illegible] Moscow. He escaped [illegible] a narrow margin.

A woman hurled a bomb [illegible] eral's carriage while he was [illegible] in the Lefort quarter of [illegible] horses were blown to pieces [illegible] coachman was seriously injured.

The governor general [illegible] came out of the explosion [illegible]

The woman was so severely [illegible] ed by her own bomb that [illegible] be removed to a hospital.

The woman cannot survive her injuries.

TIREY L. FORD ACQUITTED.

On Bribery Charge, San Francisco Lawyer Is Dismissed.

San Francisco, Dec. 5.—Tirey L. Ford, general counsel of the United Railroads, was late Tuesday night acquitted of the charge of having bribed former Supervisor Jennings Phillips to vote for an overhead trolley franchise.

The case went to the jury at [illegible] o'clock and the verdict was reached five hours later.

General Ford gave to the Associated Press the following statement:

"I cannot say the verdict was unexpected for I knew that no case had been made or could be truthfully made against me. Under the peculiar conditions now existing in our city it is greatly to the credit of the twelve men who have just rendered their verdict that they have the courage to [illegible] act and even justice to a falsely accused fellow citizen. My sincere and heartfelt thanks are [illegible] to the host of friends who [illegible] and knowing me realized that [illegible] result could possibly follow a trial."

MORTALITY IN NEW YORK.

Recent Financial Flurry Said to Have Increased Same.

New York, Dec. 5.—That the sudden increase in the mortality of New York, is due, in part, at least, to the recent financial flurry, is the opinion of Dr. William H. Guilfoy, registrar of vital statistics.

The records of the health department show that 164 persons died of heart disease during the week ending Nov. 30, an increase of [illegible] over the corresponding week last year. Many of these were people [illegible] years of age.

"I ascribe the unusual mortality among aged persons in New York to several causes," said Dr. Guilfoy, "but the recent flurry in money matters is undoubtedly accountable for many of the deaths."

Coke Ovens Shut Down.

Bristol, Tenn., Dec. 5.—[illegible] rolling mills here have [illegible] temporarily, throwing [illegible] work. One hundred [illegible] ovens at Stonega, Va., [illegible] down and 500 men [illegible] Norton Coal company has [illegible] all its ovens, and 60 per [illegible] men have been laid off. [illegible] of coke has been reduced [illegible] erators are quoted as saying [illegible] not manufacture it at a [illegible]

Met For First Time.

Washington, Dec. 5.—[illegible] committee on currency [illegible] met Wednesday for [illegible] since its reorganization. [illegible] Fowler stated that the [illegible] the meeting was to permit members to get acquainted [illegible] new ones, and possibly to discuss the situation in an informal way. He declared that he had no financial bill in preparation.

COLDEST WEATHER OF THE SEASON

Government Thermometer Registered Thirty-One Degrees.

REPORTED 24 AT CENTER HILL

Evidently the Cold Wave Struck Florida in Spots—All Tender Vegetables Not Under Cover Killed—Cabbage and Lettuce Not Injured, However.

The cold wave which struck this section Wednesday afternoon resulted in severe damage to vegetables not under cover. The Government thermometer in Gainesville registered 31 degrees Thursday morning, but some of the thermometers of private parties registered 30. Ice formed in several places in town and the air was exceedingly raw up to late in the evening, when it moderated considerably.

Report comes from the Micanopy section that all tender vegetation not under cover is a total loss. Cabbage and lettuce are not included, however.

It was reported here Thursday that the thermometer registered 24 degrees above zero at Center Hill, a great truck-growing section nearly 100 miles South of Gainesville, and that everything was killed.

News from Tarpon Springs was to the effect that the temperature dropped as low as thirty.

The Weather Bureau says we will have warmer weather today.

A Card of Thanks.

Miss Lila Frasier, one of Alachua county's efficient teachers, who underwent a surgical operation at the Odd Fellows' Sanitarium some time since, is rapidly recovering, and is enjoying a few weeks' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Frasier, at Alachua.

Miss Lila desires to express her sincere gratitude and deepest appreciation of the many kindnesses shown; to Dr. J. H. Hodges, who performed the operation and watched so carefully her every symptom, and Mrs. Bradley, whose untiring and constant care, together with her faithful corps of nurses; of the kindness and sympathy shown herself and parent, by the good people of this city and Arredondo.

Miss Lila expects to return to her school the first of January, nothing preventing.

Early to Bed

And early to rise, makes one healthy, happy and wise—especially if you atke Herbine before retiring. A positive cure for constipation, dyspepsia and all liver complaints. Mrs. S——, Columbia, Tenn., writes: "I always keep a supply of your Herbine on hand. Am so pleased with the relief it gives in constipation and all liver complaints, that words can't express my appreciation." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

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MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

Kirby Smith Chapter Pays Tribute to Memory of Two Ladies.

The regular monthly meeting of Kirby Smith Chapter, United Daughters of Confederacy, was devoted to memorial exercises in honor of the memory of Mrs. Sheldon B. Stringer, the lamented president of the Florida Division, and Mrs. E. Kirby Smith, widow of General E. Kirby Smith, after whom the chapter is named.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Evans Haile and a large membership was present, as well as several visiting ladies. Following was the program as carried out:

Repeating the Lord's Prayer, which is the regular custom.

Song, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," by chapter.

Mrs. H. H. McCreary then gave a sketch of the life of Mrs. Stringer, after which resolutions of sympathy on the death of this beloved lady were adopted.

Mrs. J. E. Wainwright read an interesting sketch of the life of Mrs. E. Kirby Smith.

The following resolutions on the death of Mrs. E. Kirby Smith were offered by Mrs. L. W. Jackson and unanimously adopted:

Resolutions.

Whereas, It has pleased an all-wise, yet inscrutable Providence to remove from among us one whom we have loved and honored for many years, not more because of the fact that she was the relict of our gallant and beloved General than because of her own intrinsic worth and sterling qualities of head and heart; be it therefore

Resolved, That while we realize that in her death our entire Southland has sustained an irreparable loss, yet we bow in humble submission to that Divine dispensation which has wrought for her eternal gain, and which has ultimately rewarded that patriotic devotion which gave from her heart her noble husband to the hazardous fortunes of war, by calling her, to a most joyous reunion with him in the realms of eternal peace; and be it further

Resolved, That we, the sisterhood of Kirby Smith Chapter, do herewith extend our united, sincere and heartfelt sympathy to those bereaved ones who, for a season, have bidden her farewell; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in The Gainesville Sun, and a copy sent to the family who by reason of her demise have been so sorely bereft.

Sister, farewell No more shall war's demands
Enforce a parting of the sacred bonds
Which bound thee to the Lord, by love enthralled,
Yet bade begone when suffering country called.
We waft thee greeting o'er the narrow sea
Dividing time and bright eternity.
Rest! sainted soul, and never know decrease
Of Heavenly joys. Be thine eternal peace.

The doxology was sung and the meeting adjourned.

AN EARNEST REQUEST.

Rev. S. B. Rogers Requests Information Regarding Needy Poor.

Editor Sun: Being unable to visit all parts of the city, especially the outskirts, and being desirous that no one in need of the real necessities of life, who are unfortunate and worthy, shall be neglected, I appeal to the public generally for information. Ordinarily, I have this information in my possession, but circumstances have been such that I need ask your assistance in obtaining it now.

Any person having knowledge of such characters will confer a great favor upon me personally by sending to my address names, locations and full information regarding them not later than December 20th.

Respectfully, S. B. ROGERS.

A Delightful Occasion

On Wednesday afternoon the Junior B. Y. P. U. held a most delightful meeting at the home of Rev. S. B. Rogers and his good wife from [illegible] to 5 o'clock.

The young folks simply "stormed the place," to use the good-natured expression of Dr. Rogers, and for two hours took charge of everything about the premises.

There was a most interesting program of music, etc., after which refreshments were served.

The young people, like everyone else, think a great deal of Dr. and Mrs. Rogers, and it is their delight, apparently, to take them unwares and show their admiration by their friendly deeds.

BEFORE AND AFTER USING Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

THOS. J. BROOKS

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LOUISVILLE, KY., May 24, 1905.

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My attention was called to this remedy by one of your clerks, who guaranteed beyond question it would stop my hair falling out, and also put my scalp in healthy condition for new hair.

I hand you photograph before starting to use it, which shows me to be nearly bald. After using two bottles I saw decided improvement, so continued its use. I have used seven 50-cent bottles, and have a heavier suit of hair than I ever had in my life.

I also enclose photograph taken a few weeks ago, showing the wonderful results in a short time.

I take great pleasure in making this statement to you, gentlemen, endorsing your great Rexall "93" Hair Tonic, and will answer promptly all inquiries regarding it.

I am at present special agent of the Western and Southern Insurance Company, 21-22 Courier-Journal Office Building, this city.

Very respectfully,

Thos. J. Brooks

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This Is the Question—

whether it is better to keep your money in a drawer or safe and dole it out in payments of accounts and bills or to bank it and pay by check? There can be but one answer to this—bank it, and check it out. OPEN AN ACCOUNT WITH US—it will systematize your affairs, teach you economy, and bring you into contact with the best people of the community.

The Dutton Bank

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.

A DISASTROUS FIRE.

The Commissary, Barn and Wagon Shed of S. G. Gay & Co. Burned.

There was a disastrous fire in the vicinity of Raleigh Saturday night, the information of which has just reached this city. The property valuation was about $1,500, comprising the commissary, barn and wagon shed of S. G. Gay & Co., naval stores operators. There was no insurance, as the rate is so exorbitant on enterprises of this kind located where there is no adequate fire protection that in many instances owners of the places cannot afford to carry insurance.

The fire started about 1 o'clock Sunday morning, and was well under way before being discovered. When discovered it was impossible to save the building or stock, notwithstanding the heroic efforts of those who attempted to extinguish the flames.

Gay & Co., who have several places, their headquarters being in Micanopy, will rebuild this plant at once and lumber is already on the ground. Within the next month all burned buildings will be erected, and business will be continued the same as before.

Earnest Workers' Supper.

Remember the oyster supper and handkerchief and apron bazaar of the Earnest Workers' Society of the Presbyterian church, which will be held this evening in the new dining room of the Brown House.

There will be plenty of oysters served in all styles at right prices, and all friends of the society and the public generally are cordially invited to attend.

Passed Examination Successfully.

James Donahue, New Britain, Conn., writes: "I tried several kidney remedies, and was [illegible] our best physicians for diabetes, but did not improve until I took Foley's Kidney Cure. After the second bottle I showed improvement and five bottles cured me completely. I have since passed a rigid examination for life insurance." Foley's Kidney Cure cures backache and all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. J. W. McCollum & Co.

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EX. STATE SENATOR CHARLES WILSON

Of Bartow Dies In San Francisco Sanitarium.

VERY PROMINENT IN POLITICS

Member of Constitutional Convention in 1885 and State Senator from Polk County for Four Years—One of South Florida's Leading Lawyers.

The Bartow correspondent of The Jacksonville Times-Union, under date of December 4th, gives the following sad information:

"News has just been received here of the death in San Francisco, Cal., of former State Senator C. C. Wilson, a resident of this city.

"Three weeks ago, accompanied by his wife and Dr. F. M. Wilson, Mr. Wilson left here for San Francisco to enter a sanitarium for treatment, and the news of his death came as a great shock to his many friends here.

"The body is expected to arrive here Sunday morning, and the funeral services will probably be held Sunday afternoon.

"Charles Cooper Wilson was born in Manatee county, December 28, 1858. His father, Judge James T. Wilson, removed from his native State of Georgia in 1852 and settled in Hillsboro county, later went to Manatee and subsequently to Polk county, locating in 1882 six miles from Bartow and resided there until his death. He was quite prominent and well known. Judge Wilson married Adeline Hendry of Thomas county, Georgia, who died in Polk county. Their son Charles, receiving a preliminary education in the schools of Polk county, afterward entering the law department of the Washington and Lee University, in Virginia, where he was graduated in 1882 with the decree of B. L. He was immediately admitted to the bar and began the practice of his profession. One year later he formed the yet existing partnership with his brother, Thomas L. Wilson. They were attorneys for the Savannah, Florida and Western railway, the Western Union Telegraph Company, and the Polk County National Bank, besides a number of phosphate companies. In 1885 Mr. Wilson was a member of the constitutional convention from Manatee and Polk counties. From 1890 to 1895 he was prosecuting attorney for Polk county in the county court. He was elected to the Senate from Polk county at the last election for the sessions of 1901 and 1903 and in the session of 1901 was made chairman of the judiciary committee of the Senate, a high compliment, as that is the most important of all committees. In [illegible] Mr. Wilson was married in [illegible] to Helen Johnson, a native of [illegible] county. They have three sons, [illegible] C., Milton and Chipley, and two daughters, Tommie Lee and [illegible]."

XMAS Presents

A Few Suggestions

HE will appreciate a handsome Triple Silver-plated Gillette Safety-Razor put up in a nice leather case — sure to please HIM.

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A handsome set of "Carvers," best English steel blade, put up in satin-lined case, will please the MADAME.

Pocket Knives, Scissors, Razors, Silverware.

Come and make your selections now.

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THE CIRCUIT COURT.

Three Cases Continued, Another Came to Trial and Acquitted.

[illegible] day in the circuit court Thursday was a slow one, as the lawyers [illegible] the various cases seemed [illegible]. They appeared to be [illegible] they could to further [illegible] of the court, but frequent [illegible] matters in the record [illegible] rapid disposition of the [illegible] before the court. Judge Wills, [illegible] very patient, permitting [illegible] nearly all the time [illegible] to bring out certain [illegible] the matter of motions for [illegible].

[illegible] the day shows that [illegible] State vs. Walter [illegible] and Will Green, all [illegible] charges were [illegible] reasons for the [illegible].

[illegible] tried during the day [illegible] of the State vs. Jim Mc[illegible] charged with the larceny [illegible] defendant was arraigned [illegible] not guilty. A jury was [illegible] the evidence and [illegible] and after the [illegible] less than five minutes [illegible] not guilty was returned.

[illegible] charged the jury with [illegible] the court adjourned [illegible] Friday morning.

[illegible] of Sea Island Cotton Association.

[illegible] vested in me as president of the Sea Island Cotton Association all County Presidents are hereby authorized and requested to call for county meetings of their associations by or before the third Tuesday in December for the purpose of electing officers for the new year and delegates to the annual meeting of the association to be held at Valdosta, Ga., the second Tuesday in January, 1908.

At these county meetings is an appropriate time for the collection of the annual dues of the association and for every county association to get in proper standing with the Interstate Sea Island Cotton Association. Every county association is earnestly requested to perfect the county associations and urge upon our farmers stronger and closer organization, and the important and vital necessity of raising our cotton free from debt. A golden lesson of experience has been taught us by the late panic in money which we should turn into a future and permanent blessing by raising our cotton crops free from debt and the reach of the speculator.

All county secretaries are requested to forward the names and postoffices of all newly elected officers.

HARVEY JORDAN,
Pres. Sea Island Cotton Ass'n.
F. G. SCHELL, Sec.

Musical and Dramatic Club.

The Gainesville Musical and Dramatic Club held their regular Tuesday evening rehearsal at the home of Mrs. B. P. Richards. The usual good attendance was augmented by that of several new members.

The half-hour's instruction in sight reading by Mr. Cadwallader proved interesting, as well as instructive to all, and the blackboard demonstrations made quite clear the problems which confront the average singer.

The opera was next taken up, and several numbers rehearsed proved the charm of the music and the beauty of the harmony. It is a [illegible] work and will need much practice, but this being made so [illegible] weekly meetings should be an inducement for all interested in good musical productions to join the club.

Applications for membership should be made through the secretary of the club.

What's

Worth doing is worth doing well. If you wish to be cured of Rheumatism use Ballard's Snow Liniment and you will be "well cured." A positive cure for Sprains, Bruises, [illegible] Contracted Muscles and [illegible] flesh is heir to. A. [illegible], Navasota, Texas, writes: "I used Snow Liniment for [illegible] and it gave the best of [illegible]. I always keep it in the [illegible]." Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Old Coughs

Keep in close touch with your family doctor. No medicine ever can be made that could take his place. Trust him at all times.

[illegible] It takes a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine, to master such coughs. A great many people rely on Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

INTERESTING MEETING.

Twentieth Century Club Meets With Mrs. E. E. Cannon.

The Twentieth Century Club met at the residence of Mrs. E. E. Cannon Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The meeting was called to order by the President and twenty-two ladies responded to roll-call.

After the routine business was transacted the report of the treasurer was read, closing the accounts of the convention which was held in our midst a few days ago.

The ladies of the club feel that the different committees which had the convention in charge are to be congratulated upon their good management.

After the business was concluded Mrs. L. C. Gracy, the leader for the afternoon, took charge, and Mrs. A. L. Foster read a very interesting paper on Queen Elizabeth. Miss Clara Pound, in her usual delightful manner, rendered a piano solo, which was greatly enjoyed. After this Mrs. Gracy, by her questioning, brought out a discussion of the Elizabethan age.

The club adjourned to meet on the 16th inst., instead of the 9th, with Mrs. Jackman.

PRESS REPORTER.

AN EXPENSIVE RUNAWAY.

Carriage and Buggy Come Together With Disastrous Results.

There was a runaway on the east side of the square Thursday morning which caused considerable excitement and some damage. A team with a city hack in tow made a bold effort to get away from the harness, and when in front of the store of the Baird Hardware Company ran into a buggy occupied by a lady. There was at once a general mix-up, and the result was that the horse attached to the buggy was thrown, the lady was frightened almost into hysterics, and the vehicle was damaged.

There was nobody to blame, apparently, as nobody was careless. The driver of the hack, it seems, had a gentle team, but had stopped a moment to get a sandwich, when his team suddenly became frightened and ran. It is to their credit to state that as soon as they discovered they had come in contact with the buggy, with great instinct, they checked, with probably saved a great deal of damage, to say nothing of the injury to the lady.

NEW CURE FOR STOMACH.

J. W. McCollum & Co. Give The Sun Readers a Chance to Try It.

Since nobody knows when people have suffered from indigestion, sick headaches, bloating, dizzy spells, distress after eating, sleeplessness and the many other symptoms of stomach trouble and have found the usual remedies powerless.

Here is a chance for The Sun readers who may suffer with weak stomach to test without risk of loss the new prescription called Mi-o-na, for indigestion that has met with great success wherever it has been tried.

This treatment, which strengthens the whole digestive system so that the stomach does its work without any distress, is sold by J. W. McCollum & Co. under a guarantee to refund money if the remedy does not do all that is claimed for it.

Mi-o-na costs but 50c a box and one box will do more real good than a dozen boxes of ordinary digestive tablets.

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PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

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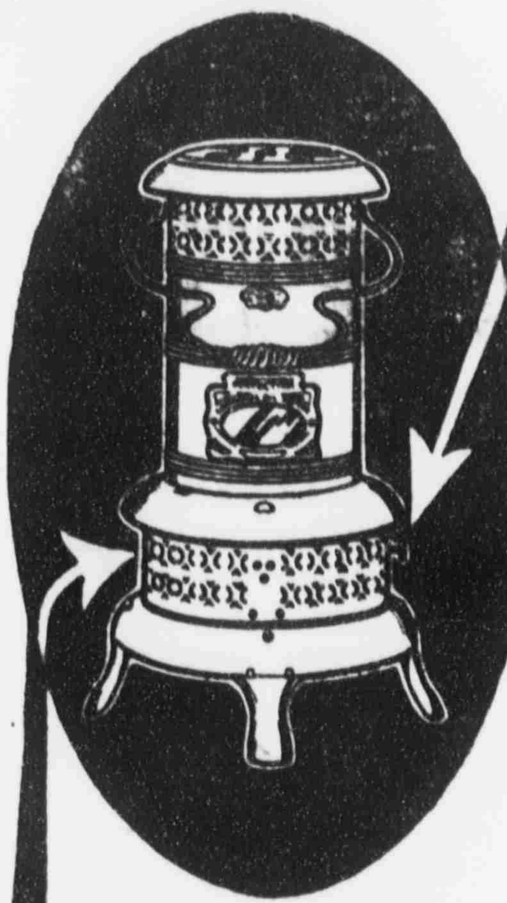

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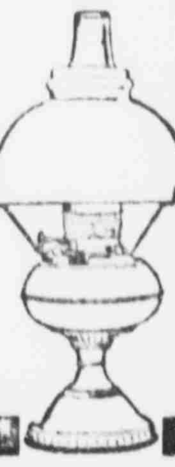

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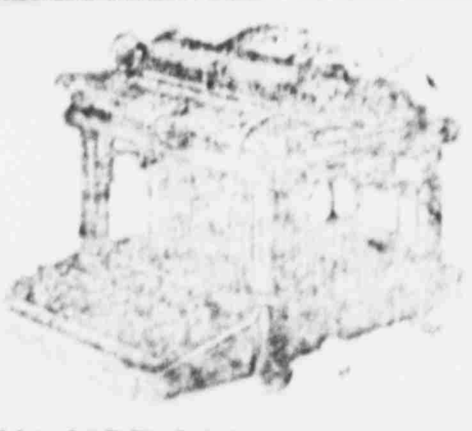

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A CLOSE GAME IT WAS AT ROLLINS

The Score Was Nothing to Nothing in an Interesting Game.

ALL THE BOYS PLAYED WELL

Shands and Alderman, for the University, Distinguished Themselves, But the Support Was Good—University Still the Champions.

Winter Park, Dec. 5.—It was a hard-fought but most friendly game between Rollins and the University of Florida football teams today, every inch of ground being well contested. It was the prettiest game, no doubt, ever seen on a Florida gridiron, both teams being evenly matched, and both playing with a good-natured determination to win. The entire game was carried off without a hitch or a misunderstanding, both teams being not only in excellent shape, but in excellent humor as well.

It was a hard game, however, as neither team was enabled to score, notwithstanding that strenuous efforts were made from a physical standpoint. The men were well matched, but the University had a little advantage in the kicks. The ball was well handled, however, and was never permitted anywhere near the goal.

Shands and Alderman played good ball, as did the other members of the team. The game was one of the most evenly matched ever played in this section of the country, but inasmuch as there was no score it still leaves the University boys the champions of the State.

DELIGHTFUL CARD PARTY.

Miss Lucille Colclough Entertained in Compliment to Visiting Friends.

In honor of Mrs. Patterson of Miami and her sister, Miss Barco of Ocala, Miss Lucille Colclough, at the handsome home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Colclough, entertained at cards Wednesday evening.

Unfortunately Miss Barco was detained. She was expected on Wednesday afternoon, but in some manner was deprived of the pleasure, hence the function transpired without the brightness of her presence.

Whist was the game, and there were seven tables. Miss Colclough retained her reputation as a hostess, and altogether the evening was passed off in a most enjoyable manner.

The gentleman's prize, a pocketbook, was won by Dr. D. B. Morris, while the lady's prize, a handsome vase of Hindoo ware, was awarded to Miss Wilcox on a cut between several of the lady guests.

Delicious refreshments, comprising chicken salad, olives, saltines, etc., were served.

GOT HIS HAIR BACK.

Was Perfectly Bald When He Started to Use Newbro's Herpicide.

Frederick Manuell, Maryland block, Butte, Montana, bought a bottle of Newbro's Herpicide, April 6, '99, and began to use it for entire baldness. The hair follicles in his scalp were not dead and in 20 days he had hair all over his head. On July 2 he writes, "and today my hair is as thick and luxuriant as any one could wish." Newbro's Herpicide works on an old principle and with a new discovery—destroy the cause and you remove the effect. Herpicide destroys the germ that causes dandruff, falling hair, and finally baldness, so that with the cause gone the effect cannot remain. Stops falling hair at once and a new growth starts. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Two sizes—50 cents and $1.00

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Cod Liver oil and iron in some form or other are prescribed by physicians the world over, more than any other two remedies the world has ever known, for anemia or poor blood, weakness, convalescence, and all wasting and pulmonary diseases.

Iron, because it is the basis of the blood and without a sufficient amount the blood is impoverished, watery, pale and impure.

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In Vinol, modern science has given to the world a combination of these two world-famed tonics—Cod Liver Oil and Iron, but shorn of all useless oil or disagreeable features.

Vinol is made by a scientific, extractive and concentrating process from fresh cod's livers, combining with peptonate-of-iron all the medicinal, healing, body-building elements of cod liver oil, but no oil.

As a body-builder and strength creator for old people, delicate children, weak, run-down persons, after sickness, and for Chronic Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, and all throat and lung troubles, Vinol is unexcelled.

We ask Gainesville people to give Vinol a trial. It won't cost anything unless it gives satisfaction.—W. M. Johnson, Druggist, Gainesville Fla.

A LIVE STOCK MAN.

F. S. Rhoades, Former Special Agent, Is Now Settling Down.

Friends of F. S. Rhoades, for a long time special agent of the Atlantic Coast Line with headquarters in this city, have been wondering "where he was at" for the past few weeks, as they had missed his genial countenance about the depot.

It has developed, however, that Mr. Rhoades, who was familiarly known among the boys as "Florida Southern" Rhoades, becoming weary of the life of a special agent, and with an eye to business, purchased a fine pasture and a number of cattle near Brooksville, and that he is now a full-fledged stockman, with a bright prospect before him.

Mr. Rhoades had a number of friends, not only in Gainesville but throughout his entire territory, who will be glad to learn that he is prospering in his new venture, although they regretted very much to have him leave his former position.

Who Are Coburn's Minstrels?

They are the newest, swellest, most progressive company of up-to-date, hustling, wide-awake singers, dancers, comedians, musicians, athletes, novelty and vaudeville minstrel performers that can be gotten together by a live manager. They are the clan whose energy, ideas, ability and efforts combine to form and present to the minstrel-loving patrons of every city they visit, a first-class evening's entertainment and relaxation. They are the "live wires" in minstrelsy, with ideas of their own which will not permit them to become "chair warmers," "has-beens," "fill-ins" and second-row supernumeraries of the much hearlded mammoth productions. They are the Great "Barlow Minstrels" reorganized under the direction of J. A. Coburn, one of the most energetic and progressive minstrel directors in the country, who has for the past ten years brought to Gainesville one of the cleanest, most enjoyable attractions ever seen in our city. The company who have never presented an inferior or mediocre show, whose guarantee of "your money's worth or your money back" absolutely assures all patrons of fair dealing and good faith.

Everything new, novel, bright and entertaining at the opera house matinee and night on Saturday, Dec. 7. Don't forget the day and date and remember the band concert at noon.

Children's [illegible]

Favorite tonic is White's Cream Vermifuge, the cure for worms and all children's diseases. It not only kills the worms, but removes the mucous and slime in which they build their nests. Its action on the child is mild and leaves him in a healthy condition. Joe Daniel, Surmac, Tenn., says that he gave one of his children White's Cream Vermifuge when the doctor thought it had colic, and from the first dose the child passed seventy-three worms. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Miss Winnie Tucker of Rochelle spent yesterday in this city as a guest of friends.

Attorney Thos. W. Fielding left yesterday for Jacksonville, where he was called on professional business.

T. W. Shands has returned from New York, where he has been on business. Mr. Shands is president of the Gainesville National Bank.

L. H. Jackson left yesterday for Ocala, where he went on business connected with his sewing machine agency. He will be absent for three or four days.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup, the new laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best laxative. Guaranteed or your money back. J. W. McCollum & Co.

R. D. Medlin has returned from Williston, where he has been looking after his extensive lumber interests. Mr. Medlin is engaged in the lumber business in Williston.

J. A. King of Orange Heights was in the city yesterday, and among other business was a renewal of subscription to The Sun. Mr. King states that the people in his section are happy and contented, as crops have been good.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Prindle left yesterday for New Haven, Conn., having been called on account of the illness of the former's mother. They were followed to the train by many friends, who wished that Mr. Prindle would find the condition of the patient much improved.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung troubles. This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiate or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine. J. W. McCollum & Co.

H. L. Hutchinson, representing a large wholesale grocery house in Jacksonville, left yesterday for Hawthorn. F. J. Hammond, the merchant of Hawthorn and one of the most extensive dealers in the East End, was burned out a few days ago. He evidently intends engaging in business again at once, as Mr. Hutchinson intimated that he had been summoned to Hawthorn to sell Mr. Hammond his reopening bill.

W. N. Wilson, who owns a fine grove on Lake Weir, has gone to that point, where he is looking after his interests. Mr. Wilson is now shipping and anticipates a good return from his crop, as the fruit is especially fine. This is one of the groves which required extra attention during the long summer drought, and Mr. Wilson employed a number of double teams in hauling water for the same for several days. He feels rewarded now, however.

Times-Union Manager Dead.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. [illegible]—Thomas Telfair Stockton, business manager of the Florida Times-Union, died here, Saturday afternoon after a long illness. He was one of the best known newspaper men in the south.

THE PERFECT WAY

Scores of Florida Citizens Have Learned It.

If you suffer from backache, there is only one way to cure it.

The perfect way is to cure the kidneys.

A bad back means sick kidneys.

Neglect it, urinary troubles follow.

Doan's Kidney Pills are made for kidneys only.

S. B. Lemons, cigar maker, living at 1311 [illegible] street, Tampa, Fla., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they cured me of backache and disorder of the kidneys. Two or three times on account of the pain in my back I was unable to work for several days. The secretions of the kidneys were in a very bad condition, dark in color, and if allowed to stand would become of the consistency of jelly. I tried various remedies, taking what seemed like gallons of medicine, and I also put on plasters, but nothing helped me at all until I got Doan's Kidney Pills upon the advice of a friend of mine, and using them according to directions they cured me in a very short time."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

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Parents Applied to Hospitals and Doctors but Could Get No Relief—Grew Worse Under Doctor's Prescription—Friends Recommended Cuticura—Result

A SPEEDY AND PERMANENT CURE

"We express to you herewith our best thanks for the cure of our baby from eczema. The eczema appeared when the child was three months old. We applied to several doctors and hospitals, each of which gave us something different every time, but nothing brought relief. A physician recommended a salve which we threw into the fire after two days' use as the eczema became worse so that the baby scratched his face. At last, one of our friends recommended to us Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. A few days afterwards improvement could be noted. Since then we have used nothing but Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and now the baby is six months old and is quite cured. All that we used was one cake of Cuticura Soap and two boxes Cuticura Ointment, costing in all $1.25. Even the poorest man can pay that instead of throwing it into the doctor's lap. I myself only make twelve dollars a week as a teamster, but I recommend the Cuticura Remedies strongly to all mothers whose children suffer from such diseases. They are cheap, harmless and good. C. F. Kara and Wife, 343 East 65th Street, New York, March 30, 1906."

FOR SORE HANDS

Soak the hands on retiring, in a hot, creamy lather of Cuticura Soap. Dry and anoint freely with Cuticura Ointment, and in severe cases spread the Ointment on thin pieces of old linen or cotton. Wear during the night old, loose, kid gloves, with the finger ends cut off and holes cut in the palms, or a light bandage of old cotton.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (25c.) to Cleanse the Skin, Cuticura Ointment (50c.) to Heal the Skin, and Cuticura Pills (Chocolate Coated, 25c. per vial of 60) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Depots: London, Newbery, 27 Charterhouse Sq.; Paris, Roberts, 5 Rue de la Paix. Mailed Free, "How to Cure Skin Tortures."

SERMONETTES

BY J. MARVIN NICHOLS.

Let your cravings to get happiness be displaced by a desire to give happiness.

Love always understands and knows. It justifies if it can; and if it cannot, it is sure to forgive and forget.

You may be sure that if you search for happiness it will elude you, but comes quickly when you seek to bestow it upon some one else.

We are living in an age when buoyant youth refuses to worship the duties and bones of the musty past. Whether the future shall profit remains to be seen.

Say what you will, in the last analysis we shall find that these National [illegible] follow upon the piping [illegible] of grasping commercial and insatiate human greed.

LETTUCE MOVEMENT HEAVY.

Many Carloads Are Being Shipped Over T. & J. Every Day.

The movement of lettuce from Rocky Point, Tacoma and other points South on the Tampa and Jacksonville, formerly the Gainesville and Gulf, has been very heavy for the past two weeks, especially during the past few days. Several carloads of fine lettuce, fresh from the fields, and as fine as was ever grown in the world, have been packed and shipped by refrigerator express, and the growers hope to realize good prices.

One [illegible] grower in the Rocky Point section, who [illegible] when it comes to growing lettuce, states that he never raised a better crop in his life and [illegible] of the [illegible]. The [illegible] good returns [illegible] and feels sure that his [illegible] will reach the market in fine condition.

Notice to Our Customers.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug Law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. J. W. McCollum & Co.

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ALACHUA COUNTY....

Alachua county is 86.4 [illegible] area, has 248 miles ra[illegible] miles wagon road, 56 [illegible] 123 public schools, [illegible] plants, 20 saw mills, [illegible] house, four newspapers [illegible] duces corn, cotton, [illegible] oats, rye, potatoes, [illegible] anges, peaches, pears, [illegible] cans, and all kinds of [illegible]

Gainesville, the County Seat

Has fourteen churches, [illegible] schools, the University [illegible] private schools, three [illegible] United States land office [illegible] water, fire alarm system [illegible] and gas lights, two ice [illegible] machine shops, three [illegible] ries, cotton gin, two [illegible] three railroads, two fertilizer [illegible] ufacturing companies, one [illegible] manufactory, one rectify[illegible] pentine plant, four banks, and [illegible] stocked stores embracing everything in the commercial line

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GAINESVILLE, FLA.

If there is one man who can break up that boarding-house habit it is Santa Claus, and he is almost due.

Someone has said that the National bird of America ought to be the sparrow. It is not really believed, however, that King Turkey will be deposed for some time, even though Mr. Sparrow is more economical.

Admiral Evans has given notice that the mail address of the fleet will be "Care of the Postmaster at New York, N. Y.," until February 5, 1908, after which it will be "Care of the Postmaster at San Francisco, Cal."

The President is beginning to feel real criticism from his own party. Judge Brewer, of the United States Supreme Court, says he is "playing a game of hide and seek with the American people," and Senator Spooner declares "no one can tell what he will do next."

At a cost up to last July of $48,-[illegible] ample buildings for the physical welfare of the workers on the Panama canal had been completed; and incidentally, a few million cubic yards of dirt have been removed preparatory to the construction of the big ditch.

Jacksonville has three candidates, Pensacola has two, and Tampa has two. The other sections of the State are liable to kick and claim an unfair division. But then Jacksonville, like mother Goose, has so many children she don't know what to do.—Apalachicola Times.

The vice president of the tobacco [illegible] lately that it cost a [illegible] dollars to effect its European [illegible]. That amount is a [illegible] compared to what the trusts cost [illegible] through the tariff protection the Republican party persists [illegible] upon.

The subscriptions for the one year certificates of indebtedness recently [illegible] by Secretary Cortelyou [illegible] closed. This is due to the [illegible] confidence and the [illegible] trade. Treasury re[illegible] a little lower than last [illegible] the surplus for the month [illegible] about $2,000,000 less [illegible] of last year.

[illegible] dispatch says that the [illegible] has suspended from office [illegible] Jones, Jr., collector of Nassau [illegible] and appointed J. O. Ogilvie [illegible] unexpired term. Jones is [illegible] left Fernandina in October [illegible] alleged that his ac[illegible] short $1000. His whereabouts [illegible] unknown. It is [illegible] he went to South America [illegible] Democrat.

[illegible] killed three monster [illegible] his mother's place [illegible] were two monster [illegible] female together. The [illegible] furiously and the [illegible] one. Two of these [illegible] seven feet long and the [illegible] than six inches in [illegible] Through the kind [illegible] Allen Bird, the [illegible] these monsters adorn [illegible] City Democrat.

THE JOB IS NOT TOO BIG.

It is a rare and gratifying compliment to Governor Broward, and to Florida also, that he has been elected president of the National Drainage Commission which has just concluded its session at Baltimore. There were many distinguished men from various parts of the Union in attendance, and the selection of Governor Broward from among so many is a deserved tribute to a man who is undoubtedly a high-class expert on drainage and has given the subject in its large aspects profound study. We hope that the new president of the commission may be able to enlist the aid of the Government in draining our vast swamp areas in Folrida. The job is too big for the State.—Live Oak Democrat.

We endorse all the above except "The job is too big for the State." How does The Democrat know the job is too big for the State? What evidence has it of that fact?

Only last week the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund placed on the market about 12,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Ft. Lauderdale, reclaimed under the Everglades drainage scheme; and this with the work hardly fairly under way, and the great body of the 'Glades yet unpenetrated and unaffected by the work that has been done.

These 12,000 acres of land are put on sale by the State at $15 and $20 per acre. Approximate the price at $17.50 per acre, the revenue derived from the sale of the same will amount to $210,000. And this is only a drop in the bucket, so to speak. If the Everglades drainage scheme is successful millions, instead of thousands, of acres of the 'Glades will be reclaimed. So far the success of the plan has been most gratifying. The land reclaimed is the most fertile in the State, and is being taken just as fast as applications can be filed and sales made, and this will be true of every acre in the 'Glades if they are drained and made tillable.

If nothing is ventured nothing is gained. So far Broward's Everglades drainage scheme has been all expected of it, and there has arisen nothing to indicate the fact that "the job is too big for the State." At the present time it looks like an easy and profitable problem.—Miami Metropolis.

"Christmas, in some respects, seems now to be a commercial scramble rather than a religious festival," says Edwin Markham in The December Delineator. "For weeks before Christmas many of our factories are run under bursting pressure; our stores are crowded to suffocation. In the name of the young child we make Christmas an abomination to thousands of working children. To prepare even the bonbons for the Christmas tree and the Christmas table in many box and candy factories children are rushed in and put to work at monotonous, nerve-racking tasks for long hours, often running till eight or even later in the evening. In the stores extra helpers, many of them children, are taken on to work in a strain of haste that depletes the worker for weeks afterward. Little children, often overheated or chilled, are herded to be carriers, wrappers and deliverers; and they are in some places harried and hurried as no savage ever works a child—as teams of dogs should not be driven."

Aliens sixty thousand strong are booked to sail for home this week [illegible] them to stay for the holidays [illegible] situation.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address

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NEGROES AND SOCIAL ORDER.

The Southern Farm Magazine of Baltimore for December says: "Inherent timidity of the negro and his comparative immunity from insanity until the work of his 'uplifting' became effective and not his devotion to law and order explain why the negro race has not been productive of Czolgoszes or Guiteaus. That barrenness, however, may not continue if educated negroes, cursed with the taint of depraved white blood, are permitted, because they are negroes, to outrival Johann Most or Emma Goldman in rabid appeal to literate ignorance, or if presumptive whites continue unwittingly to manifest atavistic traits in making themselves equal to indisputable negroes. But even the militant anarchy thus nursed among negroes will be as nothing compared with the anarchy cultivated in the notion that negroes may be petty thieves and at the same time firm believers in social order."

Senator Ben Tillman is not despised by all the negroes, as hostile newspapers would make believe. The Nashville Tennesseean of a recent date says: "'Did you know that Senator Ben Tillman is liked by every negro down around his home?' asked J. D. Loraine of Charleston at the Hotel Duncan. 'Well, he is, and the negroes would fight for him any time. He does not take a pitchfork to them down there. When they want rations, tobacco or any little money with which to buy medicine for themselves or for one of their family, they know that Senator Tillman will let them have it. He is the kindest person you ever met to the people who live around him. It is true that he has an awful temper, but he stands ever ready and willing to aid someone in distress. The negroes think he is the greatest man alive down there and praise him on all sides.'"

Henry Gassaway Davis, the possessor of $20,000,000 at the age of 84, is about to marry a poor girl. He was the Democratic Vice-Presidential nominee three years ago and is still ready for almost any sort of a stunt. We thought Ex-Governor Bloxham youthful when he led a bride to the altar at the age of 72, but Hon. Henry Gassaway Davis puts him in the shade.—Ocala Banner.

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AFGHAN WOMEN.

High Caste Mothers Have a Lonely, Lazy Time of It.

If there are any women in the world who have a right to die of ennui it is those poor creatures of Afghanistan, the upper class dames. They spend their days doing absolutely nothing, for they disdain sewing, cooking and general household duties. They leave the care of their children to slaves, and they can neither read nor write.

Generally in a rich house there is one chief slave, a sort of housekeeper, rather a grand person, whom it is always wise to conciliate if you intend having many dealings with that establishment. In summer she is always dressed in purest white. In winter velvets and brocades are not beyond her reach. She is generally an elderly person, with considerable influence and a good deal of authority.

Then there is another who is a sort of maid to the lady of the house. She is another person with whom it is not wise to quarrel. She is always very much in evidence. She it is who prepares everything for her mistress' toilet, as also for her master's. It is the wife's special duty and privilege, however, when the things are prepared to wait upon her husband when he is dressing, to pour the water over his hands and feet during his religious washings, to spread his prayer carpet, to put his favorite dish before him, and so on.

It is difficult to appreciate the exact position of these Afghan women until one sees the way in which mothers are treated by their sons. They may nurse them when they are sick, tend them when they are young, but let the boys grow to be eleven or twelve years old and you will hear them tell their mother to "chup sho" (shut up), send them to fetch their caps and expect to be addressed by the mothers as "agha gul," or "agha jon," which means "my precious master," "master dear."

Kabul mothers seldom have much affection for their children or their children for them. They do not nurse them as babies, and their babyhood is a particularly long one, for they are very backward. They belong to their nurses more than to their mothers till they are two and one-half years old, and after that it is their father who notices them and not their mother.—Exchange.

She Liked Sailing.

The following true tale is a most curious instance of living well on nothing a year without breaking the laws of the land. Many years ago a steam packet company of Liverpool wished to buy a piece of land which was owned by a "stay at home spinster," as her neighbors described her. She sold her land at a very low price, but insisted upon a clause being inserted in the agreement giving her the right at any time during her life to travel with a companion in any of the company's vessels.

When the agreement was closed she sold her furniture and went on board the first outgoing ship belonging to the packet company. For years this wise spinster lived nearly all the time upon one ship or another, frequently accompanied by a companion, according to the agreement. This was always a person who otherwise would have been a regular passenger, but who purchased her ticket at reduced rates by paying the spinster instead of the packet company. The company offered her more than twice the value of the land if she would give up her privilege, but this she would not do. Her reply was, "You got the land cheap, and I like sailing, so we both should be satisfied."

An Anonymous Tombstone.

"Speaking of gravestone inscriptions," said the commercial traveler, "about the most independent and defiant I have ever read I discovered in the quaint little southern town of Cheraw, S. C.

"While waiting for a train a fellow traveler and I strolled over to a deserted little cemetery across the way from the railroad station for the purpose of whiling away the time by reading the inscriptions on the weather stained tombstones. The cemetery was all grown up with weeds and vines.

"We discovered nothing of particular interest till we came across a stone almost entirely hidden in the weeds. Though it was getting dark we managed to make out the following inscription:

"My name, my country—what are they to thee,
Whether high or low [illegible]
Perhaps I far [illegible]
Perhaps I fell below [illegible]"
Suffice it, stranger, that [illegible]
Thou knowest its use; [illegible] whom."

—New York [illegible]

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The weasel is the most bloodthirsty of all our native carnivors. His ferocity is unbounded, his courage invincible. He is one of the few British wild animals from whom man has to fear attack.

If you meet a group of weasels you will do well not to interfere with them, for those who have done so have occasionally suffered for their temerity. His dwarfish size rather accentuates than diminishes the detestation in which he is held, for there is something uncanny in the idea of so much relentlessness and cruelty being compressed in so small a frame.

The rabbit who will fight a fierce and bitter battle with one of his own kind is paralyzed with fear at the mere sight of this puny foe, whom he could probably pulverize could he brace his heart to the attempt. Squealing with fear, he leaps stupidly about until the little vampire springs upon his neck and buries his fangs in an artery.

Then the victim either sinks to the ground and submits to his fate or, suddenly acquiring the use of [illegible], he speeds aimlessly along, the weasel clinging to his neck till his work is done. There are few more pitiful sounds in nature than the panic stricken cry of a rabbit when he finds that he is being stalked by a weasel.—London Answers.

CANDLES POPULAR.

The World Uses More of Them Now Than It Ever Did Before.

The "tallow dip" of our grandfathers is no longer made of tallow, exactly. It is made of stearic acid, which is only one ingredient of the tallow that grows in the sheep and in the steer.

Neither is the "tallow dip" of today a real "dip." They used to take long wicks and dip them in hot tallow, time after time, till the candle had acquired the proper thickness. Today they run hot stearic acid into molds and make a hundred candles instantaneously.

The "tallow dip" on the market today, therefore, would be more accurately described if it were called a "stearic acid mold." But nevertheless it remains a tallow product. It is the direct lineal descendant of the "tallow dip" of our grandfathers. And it is still so popular that just about 130,000,000 pounds of tallow, according to the calculation of one of the best informed manufacturers of Chicago, are consumed every year in the candle factories of the United States. Although gas and kerosene and electricity have deprived the candle of a large part of the popularity to which it might be entitled, it is probable that in both hemispheres today there are more candles shedding their mild and humble radiance than in any previous period of the world's history.—Technical World.

Too Enthusiastic.

Edwin Forrest once produced a play called "Metamora." Supers were engaged to personate Indian warriors, and among them was a bright Irish lad who had a deep admiration for the great tragedian. At a point in the play where Metamora asks, "Am I not the great chief of the Pottawatomies?" the supers are supposed to grunt "Ugh, ugh!" The stage manager had carefully drilled them in what they were expected to do, but on the night of the performance the young Irishman was so transported by Forrest's acting as quite to forget that he was impersonating an Indian. When Forrest turned to the assembled warriors and thundered forth, "Am I not the great chief of the Pottawatomies?" the Irish boy's enthusiasm broke through all restraint. He leaped into the air with a wild shout and, twirling his tomahawk about his head, replied, "Begorra, ye are!"—London Standard.

Water on Gibraltar.

On the eastern side of the rock of Gibraltar there is a curious looking white patch which led an American tourist to ask whether the rock was being [illegible]. It is really a catchment [illegible] to increase the reserve of water on the rock. The catchment covers [illegible] acres. It is made of galvanized [illegible] piles driven [illegible] above the [illegible]. The water collected at the foot of the catchment runs through a tunnel 2,000 feet long [illegible] to reservoirs on the western side. The [illegible] to the [illegible] gallons.—New York [illegible]

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LETTERS PATENT.

Notice is hereby given that on the first day of January, A. D. 1908, we, the undersigned, will apply to His Excellency, N. B. Broward, Governor of the State of Florida, or his successor in office, for Letters Patent on the charter proposed below:

This 15th day of November, A. D. 1907.

PERRY M. COLSON,
WILLIS W. COLSON,
BARNEY R. COLSON.

Articles of Incorporation of the Colson Farming Company.

First—The name of the corporation shall be Colson Farming Company and its principal place of business shall be Gainesville, Alachua county, Florida.

Second—The general nature of business to be transacted by this corporation shall be to buy, sell, option, mortgage, lease, rent, cultivate, improve, plat, subdivide, auction and deal in for itself and for others on commission all kinds of real and personal property; to buy, sell, raise, improve and deal in all kinds of live stock and all and every kind of farm products; to borrow or lend money, its credit or the credit of others, with or without security; to subscribe for, purchase, receive, own, sell and dispose of stock, shares, bonds, securities or obligations of individuals or of other corporations wherever located; to buy, sell, lease, own and use machinery and appliances, supplies and personal property of whatsoever description, to collect, discount and assign securities or other obligations payable or transferred to it either before or after maturity; to buy and own its own shares on any terms whatsoever and to have power generally to do and perform, have, hold, acquire and enjoy all other property powers and things as shall be incident, necessary or expedient for the conducting the necessary operations of the business, and generally to be vested with and to have all power granted or which may be hereafter granted to corporations for profit under the laws of the State of Florida.

Third—The amount of capital stock of this corporation shall be Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00), to be divided into one hundred shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars per share. Said stock shall be paid in, in cash or property, at a valuation to be fixed by the directors of the company at a meeting called for such purpose on the granting of this charter.

Fourth—The term for which this corporation shall exist shall be ninety-nine years from the date of Letters Patent bringing it into existence.

Fifth—The business of this corporation shall be conducted by a President, Vice-President and General Manager, Secretary and Treasurer, and a Board of Directors to consist of not less than three members, and such other officers as may be created and appointed by the Board of Directors of said corporation; provided, that the offices of Vice-President and General Manager may be vested in and the duties thereof exercised by one person, and provided, further, that the offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be vested in and the duties thereof exercised by one person. The business of the corporation shall be conducted by Perry M. Colson, President, Willis W. Colson, Vice-President and General Manager, and Barney R. Colson, Secretary and Treasurer, until there shall have been an election of officers held by the stock-holders of said corporation. The first annual meeting for the election of officers, adopting by-laws and transacting generally all business of the corporation by the stock-holders, shall be held on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1908. There shall be an annual meeting of the stock-holders on the second Tuesday in January of each and every year thereafter during the continuance of this charter.

Sixth—The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which this corporation can at any time subject itself shall be Ten Thousand Dollars.

Seventh—The names and residences of the subscribers to this charter are: Perry M. Colson, Gainesville, Fla., 80 shares; Willis W. Colson, Gainesville, Fla., 10 shares; Barney R. Colson, Gainesville, Fla., 10 shares.

PERRY M. COLSON, (Seal)
WILLIS W. COLSON, (Seal)
BARNEY R. COLSON, (Seal)

State of Florida, }
County of Alachua. }

On this day personally appeared before me, Perry M. Colson, Willis W. Colson and Barney R. Colson, to me well known and known to be the subscribers respectively to the foregoing articles of incorporation and charter of Colson Farming Company, and severally acknowledged before me that they did subscribe the same for the purpose of obtaining Letters Patent thereon from the State of Florida and the [illegible] and other purposes therein set forth and expressed.

Witness my hand and official seal on [illegible] day of November, A. D. [illegible]

W. F. [illegible]
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CULBERSON IS CHOSEN.

Texan Will Be Leader of the Senate Democrats.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—The democratic senators held a conference after the adjournment of the senate Tuesday and elected Senator C. A. Culberson, of Texas, chairman of the democratic caucus. This position carries the nominal leadership of the minority on the floor of the senate.

Senator McCreary, of Kentucky, was chosen vice chairman, and Mr. Owen, the senator-to-be, from Oklahoma, was made secretary of the caucus. Both of the coming Oklahoma senators attended the meeting, they being virtually recognized senators, although their formal election by the Oklahoma legislature is yet a short time off.

A resolution was passed by the caucus asking the chairman to appoint a steering committee, whose duty it shall be to arrange for democratic assignments on senate committees and to shape the legislative course of the minority as far as possible.

Colonel Whipple Nominated.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The president has sent to the senate the nomination of Colonel Charles H. Whipple, assistant paymaster general to be paymaster general of the army to succeed General Sniffen, who retires Jan. 1. The president also sent to the senate over 900 recess nominations, most of which have been published.

Blackburn Is Confirmed.

Washington, Dec. 5—In executive session the senate confirmed without reference to committee the nomination of former United States Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky, to be a member of the isthmian canal commission. Several hundred other nominations sent to the senate by the president were referred to various committees.

Garner Wants $500,000,000 in Notes.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5—Representative Garner, of Texas, has introduced a bill creating a new form of legal tender to be called "United States currency notes," and providing for their printing to the amount of $500,000,000.

HANSON TO RETAIN CONTROL.

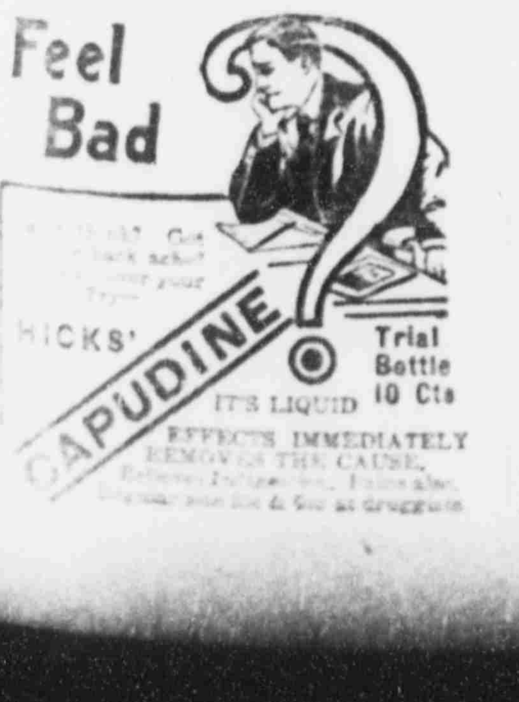
No Change In Presidency of the Central of Georgia R. R.

Atlanta, Dec. 5.—In view of the recent and frequent published statements that under the changed ownership Major J. F. Hanson, president of the Central of Georgia Railway company, would sever his connection with the management of that company, a statement of John D. Little, of King, Spalding & Little, for a number of years connected with the legal department of the Central, is of interest. Mr. Little is known to be a close friend of Major Hanson, and asked as to whether the rumor had any truth in it, he said:

"While I hesitate to make any statement as to the purposes either of the present owners of the Central of Georgia Railway company or of Major Hanson, having no authority to make such statements, I happen to know the fact and you are welcome to the facts if you want them. Major Hanson is not only not going to retire from the presidency of the Central of Georgia Railway company, but I have it from sources that cannot be [illegible] that [illegible] of the [illegible] of the Central of Georgia Railway company stipulated as a condition of the purchase that Major Hanson should remain in control and direction of the properties."

Respite from Gallows.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 5—Governor [illegible] has granted a respite to George [illegible], the negro youth who is sentenced to be hanged in Charleston on [illegible] for the murder of H. [illegible] of the changing [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Jan. 17.



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LITIGATION WITHDRAWN.

Coast Line Railroad Will Obey Laws of Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 4.—Governor B. B. Comer has gone to Washington where he will deliver an address at the meeting of the waterways convention. He will be out of his office for the balance of the week. He is very much interested in the waterways subject, having made it much of his campaign thunder while before the people. W. F. Vandiver and several others went also to the sessions.

Before leaving, the governor made an agreement with the Atlantic Coast Line railroad to accept the state laws and withdraw litigation from the federal court. The contract is the same as that entered into with the Seaboard Air Line, providing for two and three-quarter cent fares and the Georgia mileage rates on freight.

President Emerson and Vice President Alexander Hamilton were here to make the arrangements, which are effective Dec. 16.

KILLED AT HIS WEDDING.

Rejected Suitor of Bride Supposed to Have Murdered Groom.

Brownsville, Pa., Dec 1.—While the festivities in celebration of his marriage were at their height early Sunday, George Bea, aged 38 years, accompanied by several companions, left the house to urge a friend living near by to join in the fun.

They had got but a short distance when half a dozen men, supposed to be rejected suitors of Bea's bride, leaped from hiding, and one of them dealt Bea a blow that fractured his skull and caused his death a few hours later.

Bea's friends endeavored to assist him, but were forced to retreat. In the fusilade of shots John Jacovic, a guest, was hit in the face by a bullet and seriously injured.

TWO KILLED; TWO HURT.

Boiler of Heating Apparatus Exploded at Brunswick, Me.

Brunswick, Me., Dec. 4.—The boilers of the heating apparatus at the Maine Central railroad station exploded shortly after midnight, Saturday, blowing the roof entirely off the station and reducing the building to a mass of wreckage.

The Bangor and Portland night train had pulled out of the station about three minutes before the explosion occurred.

The bodies of Walter Harris, car inspector, and William B. Woodworth the night baggage master, were found in the ruins. No one else was killed by the accident.

The exact cause of the explosion is not known.

State War Claims.

Washington, Dec. [illegible] claim of [illegible] [illegible]

Public Speaker Interrupted.

Public speakers are frequently interrupted by people coughing. This would not happen if Foley's Honey and Tar were taken, as it cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia and consumption. The genuine contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. J. W. McCollum & Co.

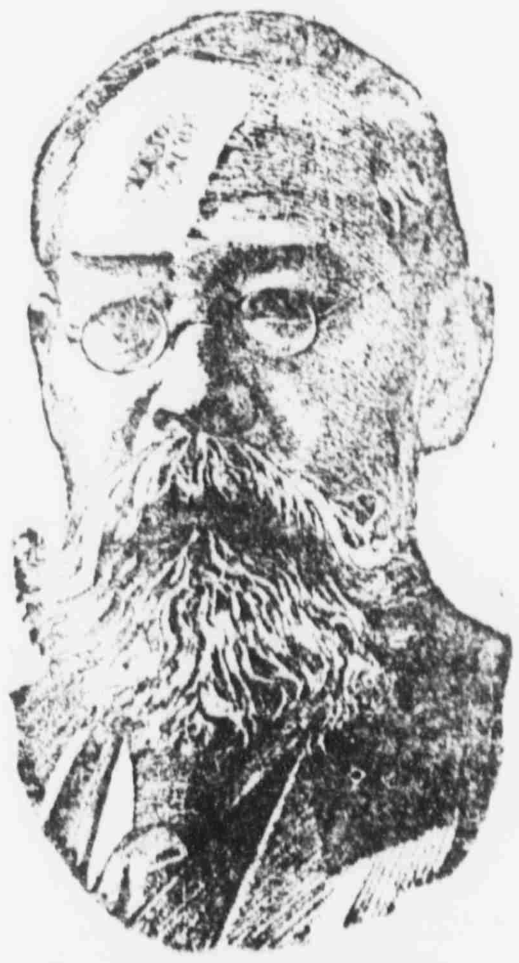
VISCOUNT AOKI RECALLED.

He Is Ambassador to the United States From Japan.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington, D. C., says:

Viscount Siuzo Aoki, ambassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary from Japan to the United States has been recalled.

He called at the White House and state department Monday and notified the president and Secretary Root of this fact. Technically, he has been sent for by his government to make a personal report as to the feeling in this country on the exclusion question. Practically he will return to Washington, D. C.



Viscount Aoki, Ambassador.

Ambassador Aoki gave notice of his recall practically at the same time that word was received here of the sailing of the torpedo section of the fleet destined for the Pacific.

Many people may connect the things together. Whether or not Japan connected them remains to be seen.

There is every reason to assert that his recall for the purpose of making a verbal report is caused by the fact that his government thinks he has been too temperate, too moderate, too conservative, too amicable and finally, too peaceable.

He has been here but little over a year, having presented his credentials on May 8, 1906, and his recall at this time can be taken as nothing else than an expression of disapproval of his course on the part of the Japanese government.

ROBBERS GET $9,000.

Tax Collector's Vault In Alabama Is Looted of Large Sum.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 4.—Safe crackers operated successfully at Bay Minette, Ala., some time during Sunday night, when they secured money, checks and drafts valued at from $7,000 to $9,000 from the vault of Tax Collector H. H. [illegible] in the court house at the county seat. The exact loss has not yet been determined. The officials [illegible] [illegible] over the books to ascertain the amount of ready taken.

Cracking of the vault was through the use of a drill and punch. A hole was drilled in the safe door, near the combination, and through the use of a punch and sledge hammer the combination was knocked off, releasing the door [illegible].

Crushed to Death by Limb of Tree.

Mount Airy, Ga., Dec. 5.—John Cash, 28 years of age, [illegible] [illegible]

Danger in Asking Advice.

When you have a cough or cold do not ask someone what is good for it, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. J. W. McCollum & Co.

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Souvenirs, Sheet Pictures
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AWFUL CREATURE WAS NINETY FEET LONG

Recent Grewsome Experience of a Chicago Man Is Sample of a Series of Such Cases

During L. T. Cooper's recent visit to Chicago, where his new preparation and theory created the usual sensation, many hundreds of people brought enormous internal parasites to the young man, which had left the system after taking his medicine.

Among these people was Mr. Emil Winkler, who brought to Cooper a tapeworm that proved to be over ninety feet in length. Mr. Winkler, who resides at 182 East Ohio Street, Chicago, had this to say of his experience: "For five years I have been more or less complaining. I have had severe headaches, and any food that I would eat would nauseate me. I would have bad dreams almost every night; dizzy spells would compel me to quit work. Black spots would appear before my eyes when stooping over and rising quickly. I would feel tired most of the time; in fact, I had no life in me to speak of for the last five years. I tried various treatments, and one physician in St. Louis was recommended to me, and I was under his treatment some time, but as usual I obtained no relief.

"So many people asked me to try Cooper's preparation that I decided to do so, and after using it for a few days, this awful thing passed from my system. I feel much better already, and I want to say right here that I thank Mr. Cooper a hundred times for what his medicine has done for me. I would not take $5,000 and have that thing back in my system again."

Mr. Winkler is a fair sample of the experience of many during Cooper's stay in Chicago, and this no doubt helped to account for the enormous sale of the Cooper preparation in this city and others recently visited by the young man.

We sell and will be pleased to explain the Cooper preparations.
J. W. McCollum & Co.

Dispensary Business.

Charleston, Dec. 5.—Deputy Collector D. B. Hansell, of the internal revenue department, has come to the city of Charleston to investigate the dispensary business, with a view of ascertaining if the county dispensaries are doing the business of a wholesaler, under a retailer's tax, as charged by certain blind tigers who reported the matter to Collector Michael Jenkins.

Deputy Hansell was formerly the chief state dispensary constable and having often worked here in charge of the constables under the former state dispensary law, he is peculiarly well qualified to investigate the charges. The county board denies the story and attributes it to the efforts of the blind tigers to try to add to the operating expenses of the system and advance the retail prices of liquors.

Mail Clerks Were Hurt.

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 4.—Every car except the diner in the Louisville and Nashville passenger train No. 4 went into the ditch Monday afternoon about 3 o'clock near Dyas creek, 32 miles north of here, and the three clerks, Campbell, Wharton and Labon, were badly cut and bruised. One of the cars in falling down the embankment jumped a fence on the right of way. The injured were carried to Bay Minette.

Indictments Dismissed.

New York, Dec. 4.—Seven indictments for forgery against John R. Hegeman, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company growing out of the recent life insurance investigation, were dismissed by Justice Dowling in the supreme court Monday. Three indictments for perjury which were returned against President Hegeman at the same time were sustained by Justice Dowling.

Tragedy at Oakman, Ala.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 4.—Town Marshal A. W. Taber, of Oakman, Ala., west of Birmingham, shot and instantly killed James Kirkwood, a well-known young man, there on Monday. It is claimed that Kirkwood was drinking and had fired upon two men and then refused to stand the officer when [illegible] [illegible] went to jail and surrendered.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher.

Awful Death of Little Girl.

Columbia, [illegible] two year old daughter [illegible] met a horrible death [illegible] residence [illegible] father was [illegible] had filled a [illegible] the tub [illegible] with the [illegible] spread [illegible] ing steam [illegible] accustomed [illegible] and seeing the [illegible] yard, lay down on it [illegible] sank to the bottom of the scalding hot water before she could be rescued and suffered agonies until death came a few hours afterward.

...OPERA HOUSE...

Saturday, Dec. 7

J. A. Coburn's
GREAT
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YOU ALL KNOW THEM
A HOUSEHOLD WORD

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Everything New This Season, Presenting the Most Elaborate, Spectacular, Electric First Part Setting Ever Known in Minstrelsy.

DAN HOLT, the "Georgia Cotton Blossom," is a member of this organization.

Prices: Night 35c, 50c, $1.00, Matinee 25c, 50c. Seats on sale at Miller's.

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GAME COOKED FOR
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OYSTERS IN ANY STYLE

If you have a weakness for good things to eat, you can satisfy your appetite at my place.

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NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.

Victor Hugo Cigars, 3 for 25c.

O'Halloran Smokers, Hand-Made, 5c.

Old newspapers for sale at this office.

Cedar Key oysters on the half shell. E. A. Davies. Phone 93.

House to rent on Lemon street. Apply 700 S. University street.

More china for less money, at Gainesville 5 and 10-Cent Store.

Velocipedes—and little red chairs—at The Gainesville Furniture Co's.

To Rent—Four furnished rooms for housekeeping. 905 N. University St.

Sheriff E. Walker of Levy county was in the city from Bronson yesterday.

The biggest and best line of suites ever shown at The Gainesville Furniture Co's.

One Bowers self-measuring oil tank, 150 gallons, for sale cheap. Apply Gainesville Bottling Works.

Wanted—To rent, or buy at a bargain, good pony horse. Write The Sun, giving age, size and price.

Nicely furnished room, on block adjoining square, to rent. Apply in front of Baptist church, or at Sun office.

Vanilla can be pure and still it may be weak and of poor quality. You get the best only when you demand Blue Ribbon.

Teachers can have their report cards printed at The Sun office at very low price. Sample form and prices on application.

Friends of Mrs. E. B. Flake, South University street, will regret to learn that she had been indisposed for the past few days.

Special Agent Coe of the Atlantic Coast Line left yesterday for points in South Florida. Mr. Coe makes his headquarters in this city.

Wanted—To rent or lease near Gainesville, good two or three-horse farm suited to general crops, with or without stock. Write Sun office.

Wanted—Manager for branch office we wish to locate here in Gainesville. Address, with reference, The Morris Wholesale House, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Sun cannot guarantee the insertion of new display advertising in the Sunday issue of the paper unless copy is furnished the office not later than Friday noon.

Remember the oyster supper and apron and handkerchief bazaar to be held by the Earnest Workers' Society of the Presbyterian church tonight. Come and get a good oyster supper and help a good cause.

The Philadelphia Hatters are here for ten days only. They clean and [illegible] straws, felts, panamas and [illegible]. Drop a card, care Tremont House, and hats will be called for and [illegible]. A new hat merely for the [illegible] of the cleaning.

W. M. H. BROWN & BRO'S.
POCAHONTAS PERFUME
THE LATEST CREATION
FOR SALE BY W. M. JOHNSON.

El Dorado Cafe
..OYSTERS..
YOU KNOW WHAT THEY ARE
Open 6 a. m. to 11 p. m.
Steaks, Chops, Etc.

O'Halloran Smokers—The Best, 5c.

Victor Hugo Cigars, always the best.

For the best printed stationery call at The Sun office.

W. L. Hill and Guy Zetrouer made a brief visit to Rochelle yesterday.

Black record carbon typewriter ribbons for legal work for sale at The Sun office.

The Woman's Guild will meet at the rectory this afternoon. A full attendance is desired.

Otto gas engine for sale at a song to party who will remove it from premises. The Sun.

Chiffonieres, wardrobes, hat racks and dining-tables—all new stock. Gainesville Furniture Co.

W. Z. Chappell left yesterday for Hawthorn and other points, where he was summoned on business.

We want everyone to see our line of toys and china before buying. Gainesville 5 and 10-Cent Store.

If you want good chocolate candy we ask you to try our 30c per pound cholocates. Gainesville 5 and 10-Cent Store.

N. C. Pettit of Waldo, one of the most prominent citizens of the East End, spent Wednesday in this city on business.

Mrs. J. B. Padgett has returned from Kissimmee, where for the past few days she has been the guest of Mrs. C. A. Carson.

I will duplicate any advertised club offer for magazines and save you the time, trouble and expense of ordering. Phillip Miller.

The many friends of Mr. Gibbs, the University student who has been quite ill at the Odd Fellows' Sanitarium, will be glad to learn that he is rapidly convalescing.

The reporter made an error in stating in yesterday's Sun that H. A. Pickett of Newberry was ill at the Odd Fellows' Sanitarium. It is his brother, T. R. Pickett, who is confined there.

Attention is directed to the financial statement of the Gainesville National Bank, which appears elsewhere in this issue. It is indeed a good showing for an institution which has been established for so short a time.

S. G. Gay of Micanopy has returned to that place, after a pleasant visit to his family, who are residing in this city at 107 North University street. Mr. Gay is engaged in the manufacture of naval stores at Micanopy.

We will have on Monday or Tuesday a car-load of bananas—a thousand bunches—which must move cheap. Will be on sale at all our places, the Candy Kitchen, Opera House block and new store rear Gainesville National Bank. George & Francisco.

B. F. Camp and son, B. F., Jr., are in the city from White Springs on important business. They are members of the R. J. & B. F. Camp Company, extensive lumber manufacturers, with one of the largest, finest and most modern mill plants in the State.

Fifty boxes fancy oranges, best that have been in Gainesville market, $2.25 box. When these are gone prices will advance. Now is the time to get a box to send to your friends or for yourself. Not over two boxes to any one customer. Reeder's Fruit Store, West Union street.

If you imagine you are getting Cedar Key oysters when you buy from restaurant keepers you are badly deceived. Their oysters are from three to four days old when you get them. If you want fresh oysters, direct from the Cedar Key banks, order from E. A. Davies. Phone 93.

Lieutenant Hall of the University of Florida left yesterday for Tampa, where it is said he was called in an important court martial case. Lieutenant Hall is detached from the regular army to be commandant of the University, but is under army orders, rules and regulations.

Robert Taylor, traveling soliciting agent for the Atlantic Coast Line, who makes his headquarters in Ocala, spent a few hours in this city on business yesterday. He is well known throughout this section, where he is very popular. This accounts for the excellent success he has made in this vicinity.

Moses Johnson, after several weeks spent in this city, has returned to his old home in Dunnellon, where he has resumed his position digging rock in the mines of the Dunnellon Phosphate Company. Mose has decided to remain in Dunnellon for at least a year this time—as that was his sentence, Judge Wills remarking at the time that he would hold at least two terms of court before trying him again for selling liquor.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

...The Gainesville National Bank...

At the Close of Business December [illegible]

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	$167,070.91	Capital stock	$100,000.00
Overdrafts	396.65	Undivided profits (net)	5,598.55
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	31,979.31	Circulation	25,000.00
United States bonds and premium	26,406.25	Rediscounts	25,000.00
Shareholders' account	9,400.00	DEPOSITS	[illegible]2,557.25
Five-per-cent fund	1,250.00		
Cash and due from banks	71,652.68		
Total	$308,155.80	Total	[illegible]155.80

STATE OF FLORIDA,
COUNTY OF ALACHUA } ss

I, C. A. Faircloth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. FAIRCLOTH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of Dec., 1907. W. H. [illegible], Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
T. W. Shands,
Wm. R. [illegible], } Directors.
Henry Davis,

O'Halloran Smokers, All Havana, 5c.

Victor Hugo Cigars—strictly high grade.

Ladies' calling cards at The Sun office.

Sleeping and crying dolls—in fact all kind of dolls—at Gainesville 5 and 10-Cent Store.

Toilet sets, lamps, pictures and clocks. Gainesville Furniture Co. Your credit is good.

Why wait until Christmas to buy? We have more time now to show you our line. Gainesville 5 and 10-Cent Store.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Dell are visiting in Starke for a few days, guests of the latter's parents, Captain and Mrs. Weeks.

Where shall I find my Christmas present this year? Why, at the Bazaar given by the Woman's Guild at the opera house, December 12th.

Edward K. Anderson and H. McL. Grady, two prominent citizens of High Springs, were among those who spent yesterday in Gainesville.

Mrs. Dr. J. M. Dell and son, Maxey, have returned from Ocala, where they have been on a pleasant visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Liddon.

C. S. Robertson, one of the hustling traveling solicitors for the C. F. X. refrigerator lines, has gone to St. Petersburg and other points South in the interest of his line.

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Clear Havana
Strictly High-Grade
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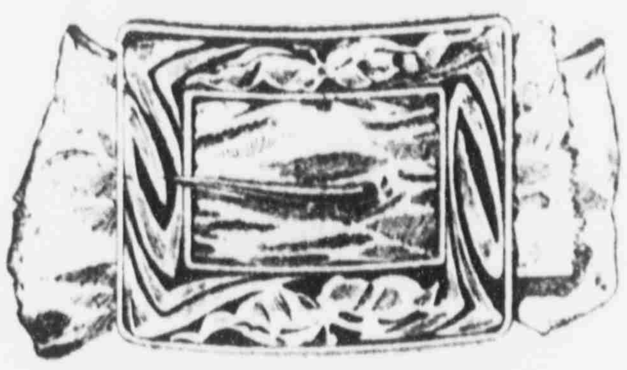

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If the public's memory had the retentive power of a talking machine record, we would say once and forever after be content with the echo, that here in the "House of Smith" can always be found the newest and best things in gift-giving goods at the smallest profit prices. But you—a component part of the public—have so many things to remember our message is soon forgotten. We know this, and it is our reason for telling you every day of the year about our method and our wares. Do your Christmas shopping now. Watches, standard movements, from $10 up.
L. C. SMITH, North Side Square, Gainesville, Fla.

Gentleman's Chifforobes, just the thing for an appreciated gift. Only two left. Gainesville Furniture Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Richards of Cincinnati and Mrs. Julia P. Deveneau of Hampton have arrived in the city, and for the next few days will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jackson, North Gainesville.

Friends of Attorney B. A. Thrasher, who has been ill at his home for the past three or four days, will be glad to learn that his condition is improving and that he will likely be enabled to resume his professional duties within the next week.

E. L. and Y. M. Hulme, two well-known and clever young men of Hawthorn who are representing Jacksonville wholesale houses, were among the visitors to this city yesterday. Both boys are very popular, and are enjoying a fine trade in their respective lines.

Rev. Thos. F. Hay of the First Presbyterian church will fill the engagement at North Gainesville hall this evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Hay is a fine speaker, an earnest worker for Christ and will no doubt be greeted by his usual large congregation at the North Gainesville hall.

J. G. Herrin, a prominent naval stores operator of Pasco, was a business visitor to this city yesterday. Mr. Herrin was formerly engaged in the mercantile business at Lakeland, but had the misfortune to be burned out several months ago, when he engaged in the naval stores business. He is one of the most prominent of the younger citizens of that section.

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We do not promise something for nothing, but give you the best service possible at a reasonable price.
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